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### STATE SUNSHINE AND SHADOW.

THE last dollar in the State Treasury went into the hands of one of the many claimants last Friday, and from now until some time in July, when the Sheriffs begin to turn over their collections of the revenue, the deficit for 1891 will be growing. It is estimated that the deficit will reach \$200,000, but by reason of the contract made with the local banks by the Governor and State Treasurer, the State's credit will not in the least suffer from an empty Treasury. Every claim against the State will be paid promptly.

THE jury in the case of Sam Buckner, colored, on trial in the Christian Circuit court for the murder of his little brother, whom he whipped to death, returned a verdict, sending him to the penitentiary for life. After beating the child to insensibility he threw his body on the fire and then broke his neck with a kick. The jury stood eight to four for hanging. Three other colored murderers have been given life sentences at this term of court and Josh Maynor sent up for two years for manslaughter.

A KEG of powder exploded in J. E. Riley's grocery at Madisonville recently. J. B. Stewart, a clerk, and D. A. Bondurant, a customer, were badly injured. Stewart's face and hands were burned to a crisp, and if he recovers he will probably lose both eyes. Bondurant was badly burned and injured by flying particles. The store was wrecked, and the buildings adjoining were badly damaged. The accident was caused by the discharge of a rifle in Stewart's hands while in close proximity to the powder.

Woods & Co., commission merchants of Chicago, were recently swindled out of a large amount of money by Thos. F. Sibley on a forged bill of lading for eleven cars of stock.

James Bernard, one of the New York grafters who sent green goods circulars to Russell Harrison and other well known persons, has been convicted of improvidence using the mails.

At Anderson, Ind., while removing a large boulder from a field by horse power, Samuel Bronnenburg had his leg broken by being hit with a piece of broken chain.

Anna Diffler, of Cincinnati, Ohio, has filed suit against Frank Jones, of Shelbyville, Ind., for \$10,000 damages for injuries incurred by a runaway team of the defendant.

Senator Gordon, of Georgia, recently met with a heavy loss at his Taylor county stock farm. The Flint river rose suddenly in the night and two hundred of Gen. Gordon's brood mares were drowned.

Wm. Garner, of Mexico, Mo., died a few days since, and his death is supposed to have been from hydrophobia caused by being bitten by a vicious dog about twenty years ago. Others think it was a case of d. t.

Peter Haus, of Wampum, Penn., has laid a wager that he can eat a calf and drink a pony keg of beer in two hours. Haus stipulates that he may stand in a tub of hot water during the performance of his gastronomic feat.

The parents of Millie Capece, aged 19, residing at Foundryville, Penn., wanted her to marry an ancient but wealthy suitor, while Millie loved and wanted to marry a poor young man. To settle the difficulty she killed herself.

The Brooklyn (N. Y.) police are making an unenviable record for the "Fire-bug" Hugh C. Miller, the son of wealthy people, and are endeavoring to convict him with all the incendiary fires that have occurred in that city for the last six months.

A local passenger train on the Chesapeake and Ohio railroad ran into the rear of a freight train in a tunnel near Ft. Spring, W. Va., Thursday last. A passenger brakeman and the conductor of the freight were injured. The caboose caught fire and the flames spread to the passenger train, which was totally destroyed, with the baggage and express.

John D. Lewis, a colored lawyer of Philadelphia, who recently died, bequeaths a portion of his estate, valued at \$100,000, as a fund for "The Lewis Protective Bureau of Civil Rights," the object of which is "to protect and secure to the colored citizens or colored persons in the United States their civil rights as applicable to all other classes of people."

For the murder of Louis J. Specht, a saloon keeper at Louisville, Henry Smith, colored, has been sentenced to death.

### OVER THE WORLD IN A WEEK.

—La grippe is epidemic in nearly all the cities throughout the North and West.

—A pocket of gas in an oil well near St. Mary's, W. Va., exploded and severely injured two drillers.

—Six prisoners, charged with minor offenses, broke jail at Pine Bluff, Ark., last week, and escaped.

—The lock-out of the clothing cutters at Rochester, N. Y., has thrown 20,000 persons out of employment.

—D. S. Morrison, deputy Circuit court clerk of Scott county, Virginia, is wanted for forgery aggregating \$30,000.

—At Hillsboro, Ohio, during a quarrel over horses, Philip Hook emptied a load of shot into Charles West's shoulder.

—At Tiffin, Ohio, an explosion of natural gas damaged the Sterling Emery Wheel works to the extent of \$15,000.

—Burglars blew open the safe of Peckle & Taylor's office in Indianapolis, Ind., but got nothing. The explosion scared them off.

—Mary E. Ewing, of Bellefontaine, Ohio, 33 years old, has filed suit for divorce from Charles A. Ewing, who is 63 years old, alleging habitual drunkenness.

—A portrait of George Washington, hanging in the Arkansas Legislative chamber for twenty years, has been removed for a painting of Jefferson Davis.

—Spontaneous combustion caused a \$60,000 fire at George W. Alexander & Co.'s hat factory, Reading, Penn. Several hundred operatives are thrown out of work.

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### NO PAY, NO PAPER.

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### ANNOUNCEMENT.

We are authorized to announce GEORGE W. DRAKE as a candidate for Sheriff of Wolfe County, subject to action of the Democratic party.

### ATTENTION, F. & L. U.

Read What State Secretary Davis Has to say About The Herald.

TO THE MEMBERS OF THE FARMERS AND LABORERS UNION OF KENTUCKY:

Brethren: In June, 1887, when the State Alliance was organized at Ezel, we had 42 sub-Alliances, three County Alliances and an estimated membership of 600. We were without funds, and almost without friends. Many of the best farmers in the State looked on the Alliance as a visionary scheme of some designing persons to forward their own personal ends. They consequently stood aloof, and refused to enter the organization, not knowing the intention of the Alliance.

The undersigned, accompanied by Bro. J. E. Quicksill, who had been elected President of the State Alliance, waited on Mr. Spencer Cooper, editor of the HAZEL GREEN HERALD, who kindly gave us an Alliance department in his paper, and promised to give any assistance in his power. By this means the order was brought prominently before the farmers of Eastern Kentucky. The result was that in the twelve months following the Alliance had increased from 42 subordinate and three county organizations to 15 County and 365 subordinate Lodges, and increased in membership from 600 to nearly 5,000. We today have 88 county and 2,400 sub-unions in Kentucky, and an approximate membership of 100,000, and new Unions are being organized at the rate of ten a week.

Mr. Cooper has again offered us a department in THE HERALD and in assuming control of it we do so with a full realization of our inability to do justice to it, and shall be largely dependent on the brethren of the various Unions to furnish the news, correspondence, &c., for this department.

We hope our members will subscribe for THE HERALD and induce their neighbors to subscribe. We should patronize our home paper, and thus help to build up our country and our order, and educate ourselves and children. This we can not do unless we read.

The HERALD has proven the friend of the people of Eastern Kentucky, and it should receive the undivided support of the people.

We wish to return our thanks to other papers in Eastern Kentucky that have kindly given us space and spoken words of cheer to the members of the Union. We commend them to the people as worthy of their patronage.

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HAZEL GREEN, KY.:  
FRIDAY, - April 3, 1891.



FOR LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR,  
**HON. M. C. ALFORD,**  
OF FAYETTE COUNTY,  
Subject to action of the Democratic Party.

The brilliant and brainy young statesman, Hon. Mitchell C. Alford, candidate for Lieutenant Governor, is the acclaimed choice of a people who delight to do honor to one who is so deserving; to a gentleman personally and politically pure in his every action; to a firm friend of the farming interests, as evidenced by his record in the State Senate; to a man devoted to the development of the dear old State that gave him birth; to one learned in the law, common and constitutional. In short, one who embodies all the essentials, equitably balanced by justice, requisite to the semi-executive position he seeks. And this glad acclaim that arises from an admiring multitude wafts with it the soul-stirring shibboleth, "He is the apple of our eye," and every tongue that tingles with music echoes the sweet strains of the song from the opaque Ohio to the curling Cumberland, from the mighty Mississippi to the booming Big Sandy. In the workshop and the private walks of life—along railroads and the rural highways—from the mountain fastness and the fern-clad stream—in the domicile of the rich and the dwelling of the poor—everywhere that tongue articulates the ardent voice of the heart, Alford is the choice. The Democracy of this grand and glorious old Commonwealth is to be congratulated on the possession of so valiant a son, and under his leadership victory is sure to perch upon our banner.

Ex-Senator W. H. Taubbee gave us a call last week to renew his subscription to THE HERALD, and when asked about the State canvass he said he was non-committal. But at mention of the name of Col. John O. Hodges his eye kindled and his cheek flushed with the bloom of youth. He seemed to forget that he was old and infirm and paced the floor with the vigor of early manhood. Said he: "Mr. Cooper, of all the men it has ever been my pleasure to know, Col. Hodges is one among the best. He is a scholar, educator and Christian gentleman, and I take great pleasure in recommending him to all those who may not know him. Five years ago, when my wife and I were visiting the Colonel, I told him that I hoped to live to see him State Superintendent, and if my friends will do what I think to be the right thing I may yet see that day."

Judge Swango is letting no grass grow under his feet, neither sage or blue, but is making an exceedingly hot canvas in his race for Register of the Land Office. Editorial encomiums appear in nearly every exchange we receive, and indicate in unmistakable terms the sentiment of the people throughout the State. In all sections he is gaining strength, and notably among those who are rallying to his support are the old Confederate soldiers, who hold a strong affection for him. The people of Eastern Kentucky will remember him for the efforts he has put forth to quiet land titles and to have the State redistricted so as to give us equal representation with other sections, and when the convention meets his mountain friends will be there to give him his reward in a rousing, united support.

Dr. Clardy's home county is for him first and last. The Hopkinsville Kentuckian says: "Several of the candidates for minor State offices have friends in this county who are concerned about their races, but other candidates surely do not expect Christian to give any instructions except for her own candidate for Governor. The convention, on May 2, will instruct for Dr. Clardy, and any instructions further than this would be unusual and unfair to him. No delegation can effectively present a candidate to a convention if his hands are tied upon all matters likely to come up. There must be no thought of instructing for this, that or the other candidate, if

Dr. Clardy is to be loyally presented to the convention by his home county."

The Capital removal question is just now agitating the Constitutional Convention. The committee that have the matter in charge are divided, five being for its remaining at Frankfort and six for leaving its location to a vote of the people. An effort to get an opinion from our people elucidates that they are for Lexington if it be removed, though some think it should remain where it is.

### PUBLIC OPINION.

#### A Good Official First.

Woodford W. Longmoor, the lately elected Clerk of the Court of Appeals, died very suddenly last week in the capitol at Frankfort. His death was caused by a stroke of paralysis. Mr. Green B. Adams, his brother-in-law, has been announced as a candidate to fill the unexpired term of Mr. Longmoor. He agrees to accept only a deputy's salary and allow the proceeds to go to Mr. Longmoor's widow. If Mr. Adams is well qualified to discharge the duties of the office it would be doing the proper thing. The office would be well attended to and an act of charity done at the same time. But: unless he is well qualified, some one else should have the office. Charity should be bestowed where practicable, but when it would be the cause of a failure to secure a good official it should be bestowed in some other way. The first consideration is a good official.—Larue County Herald.

#### All For Mrs. Longmoor.

It has been decided that Mr. Adams will be a candidate to fill out the seven remaining years of Mr. Longmoor's term, all the emoluments of the office to be paid over to Mrs. Longmoor. He has already announced himself a candidate for the Democratic nomination and no one can be found who will be able to defeat him. It is hard to defeat sentiment at any time, but especially so when founded in justice and fairness. Mr. Adams was at the time of his brother-in-law's death a deputy in the office, has large experience in such clerical work, and no harm can come to the public service by reason of his promotion. Under our laws the widow can not hold the office, but the comrades, friends and admirers of the dead official can aid the afflicted wife by voting for her representative. The Herald and the people of Logan county are for Mrs. Longmoor—Russellville Herald.

#### Sentiment to Oppose Adams.

The sentiment that brought about the nomination of Wood Longmoor last May was not a circumstance to that has sprung up for his widow now. It is suicidal for any gentleman to think of opposing her brother for the succession to the office of the Clerk of the Court of Appeals. It will be Mrs. Longmoor first and the rest nowhere when the convention assembles May 13.—Owensboro Messenger.

#### Kentucky with the Widow.

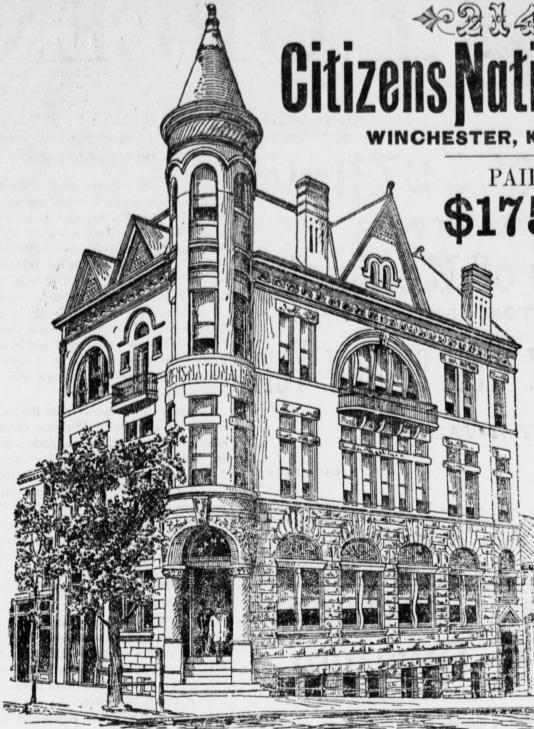
The politicians may as well stand back. Public sentiment is in favor of giving the Appellate Clerkship to Mr. Green B. Adams since he has obligated himself to turn the fees over to his sister, the widow of Capt. Longmoor.—Maysville Bulletin.

#### Protect Your Health.

Cold and moisture combined have a torporizing effect upon the bodily organs, and the digestive and secretive processes are apt to be more tardily performed in winter than in the fall. The same is true, also, of the excretory functions. The bowels are often sluggish, and the pores of the skin throw off but little waste matter at this season. The system, therefore, requires opening up a little, and also purifying and regulating, and the safest, surest and most thorough tonic and alterative that can be used for these purposes is Hostetter's Stomach Bitters. Persons who wish to escape the rheumatic twinges, the dyspeptic agonies, the painful disturbances of the bowels, the bilious attacks, and the nervous irritations, so common at this time of the year, will do well to reinforce their systems with this renowned vegetable stomachic and invigorant. It improves the appetite, strengthens the stomach, cheers the spirits, and renovates the whole physique.

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Floyd Day is taking in Clay City and Louisville this week.

Rev. J. Z. Haney and his entire family are down with the grip.

Little Dora, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Willie Swango, is very sick with measles.

Kelly McClure, who has been sick at this place, was removed to his home on Grassy Wednesday.

Mark McClain, a young man living with W. T. Swango, has had a severe attack of measles, but is out again.

Judge Swango, who was visiting his family and friends at this place from Saturday until Tuesday, left on the afternoon of that day for Ezel, and thence went to Frankfort.

Rev. E. P. Mickel will begin a series of meetings at the Presbyterian church in this place on Monday night after the third Sunday in April, continuing every night during the week.

Hon. Harvey Meyers, ex-Speaker of the Kentucky House of Representatives, a Mr. Miller, of Covington, and Mr. Baker, of Jackson, were guests of the Day House on Monday night.

The Kincaid trial is still in progress at Washington, and several Kentucky Congressmen testified Monday. The case will probably go to the jury this week, and we will next week give the result.

The grip is prevailing in an alarming extent in this place, and there are so many students confined to their homes by it that the Academy had only about forty scholars in attendance on Tuesday.

Rev. Jas. E. Wright requests us to state that he will hold a church meeting at the M. E. church of this place on Saturday (tomorrow), 4th inst., at 3 o'clock p. m. All the members of the church are requested to be present.

The non-arrival of our paper compels us to issue only a half sheet this week, but as soon as we receive a supply, which we hope to do during the coming week, our subscribers will each week receive a paper check full of good things. Come in and renew today.

Mary Chandler, formerly a resident of Hazel Green, but now of Lair, Harrison county, Ky., writes to know the subscription terms of THE HERALD, and would like to have a copy. Our terms are \$1 per year, always in advance, sent post paid to any address in the United States or Canada.

Our friends of the Farmers' Alliance should carefully read the letter of State Secretary B. F. Davis on the first page of our paper this week. Owing to failure to get our paper, we are compelled to omit the Alliance department this week, but as soon as it comes to hand our farmer friends will find it full and complete every week.

Yes, "Let Us Have a Square Deal."

IN THE HERALD of the 20th ultimo, under the heading as above, appears an article reflecting on the predominate religious body of Hazel Green, which, without egotistic arrogance, is the Christian Church; also another insertion relative to Constitutional rights, fraught with insinuations construed to convey the same reflections. Following these, in the issue of the 27th, is still another in regard to a certain dropped letter, not directed to Bro. Cooper of THE HERALD, which is spoken of and the village made a "Commune" hotbed in the excited imagination of our friend Cooper, feverish from the editorials of the week before.

With the kindest feelings to all and malice toward none, we deem it but a "square deal" to mention our position in the matters made public, and were these things confined to our village alone and not heralded to the reading public and being reprinted by the press, 'twould never receive one word from the body we represent. As it is, we feel that justice to all concerned demands an expression from the Christian Church. If any religious "domineering" or "bullying" can be attributed to our body in Hazel Green, we are unaware of it, and feel justified in entering protest. As to others, we have nothing to say. If it is a crime to meet, as did the Disciples, and break bread on the Lord's day regularly, regardless of any regular or special appointment of any minister of any church, Christian or otherwise, then we plead guilty, but such service is studiously arranged so as not to take place during the time of service at any other church. If inviting a minister, who by force of circumstances unpremeditated happens to call forth bitter denunciations, we regret it; yet this has occurred with others as well as with us, and against others we have not the slightest ill-will, as we believe it is the duty of any church organization to have preaching as often in the past have we deprived ourselves of the pleasure and privilege of holding services when ministers of our belief were in our midst, for fear of wounding some one's feelings; and now suppose the sequel of the bitter denunciations was the occurrence in February when by accident a minister being present, and because of business connected with his trip was asked to fill the pulpit of the Christian church. There should be no unkind feelings engendered by any congregation asking to have services when a minister is present by accident or visiting in our midst, and in the future we expect to extend such invitations and accord others the same privilege, bidding them God speed in any and all good works.

As regards the anonymous letter mentioned, which was directed to a certain person in our town, which was never delivered and seen only by one young man (so stated), we know nothing, and have only contempt for one who hides behind such actions. Such communications are beneath notice and we deplore an individual action which seeks to bring stigma on a community. The young man who read it now says it was not "insulting," "filthy" or "threatening," further than (as regards threats) some would quit taking THE HERALD. Not "filthy," further than speaking of bane of drink. Not "insulting," further than aggravating, which is a different thing. The person for whom that letter was intended or to whom we understand it was addressed, has our whole heart in their interest and is above reproach. THE HERALD and its staff are one of us, and we regret that Bro. Cooper thinks he is in danger of assassination or believes there is a "Commune" organization in the town; such is not the case, for he has helped keep our citizenship above the plane of barbarism.

With the highest regard to, and Christian feeling for all,

CHRISTIAN CHURCH OFFICERS

Hazel Green, Ky.

In vindication of our position with reference to the articles above referred to, we have to say that we were maliciously imposed upon, there being no foundation for the assertions made, and for the good of all we are glad to state that the church officers concur in this opinion and exonerate us from intentional wrong. And, now, leaving the matter to be combated by those who concocted the stories we dismiss the subject, sincerely hoping that peace, sweet peace, may henceforth and forever rule in our loved little village.

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